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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Attorney Docket No.: 2842.02US01

TORII et al.

Confirmation No.: 1357

Application No.: 09/762,153

Examiner: W. C. Joyce

Filed: February 1, 2001

Group Art Unit: 3682

For: DRIVING APPARATUS EQUIPPED WITH MOTOR AND DECELERATING MECHANISM

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), an extension of time of 3 (three) months (from August 30, 2002, to November 30, 2002) within which to respond to the Office Action dated May 30, 2002, is requested. Two checks totaling \$1,538.00 are enclosed herewith to cover the extension fee and the additional claims. The Commissioner is authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 16-0631 any underpayments, overpayments or additionally required fees.

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